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**BY EMAIL AND ECF**

The Honorable Ronnie Abrams  
United States District Judge  
40 Foley Square  
New York, NY 10007

**Re: United States v. Devon Archer,  
16 Cr. 371 (RA)**

Dear Judge Abrams:

The Government writes in response to the Court's Order of November 15, 2018, granting Archer's motion for a new trial (the "Order") and directing the parties to confer and propose next steps by December 30, 2018. As the Court is aware, on December 13, 2018, the Government filed its notice of appeal. The Government will apprise the Court of any additional developments.

Respectfully submitted,

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